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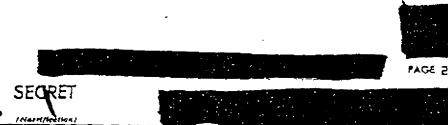
THEMAJORITY OF ARMY GENERALS HAVE EXPRESSED 'DISPLEASURE AND OPPOSITION TO THE RECENT SPATE OF ILLEGAL DETENTIONS CONDUCTED DURING APRIL-EARLY KAY BYTHE DIRECTORATE OF NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE (DINA). THEY BELIEVE THAT THE SUBVERSIVE SITUATION IS WELLUNDER CONTROL. THAT THE STATE OF SIEGE SHOULD BELIFTED, THAT DINA'S ARREST POWERS SHOULD BE TERMINATED. AND THAT THE UNIFORMED AND CIVIL POLICE SHOULD HAVETHES OLE AUTHORITY FOR HAKINGARRESTS, EVEN OF SUBVERSIVES. IN ACCORDANCE WITH LEGAL NORMS. THE GENERALS

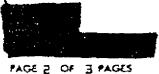
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ARE AWARETHAT THEIR VIEWS ARE NOT SHARED BY GENERAL CARLOS.

F O RESTIER. ARMY CHIEF 'OF STAFF. AND GENERAL HERMAN

BRADY, MINISTEROP DEFENSE. IN THE CASE OF THE LATTER,

MOMEYER. THEY BELIEVE HIS CURRENT HARDLINE POSITION IS NOTBASEDON

CONVICTION BUT RATHER ON A DESIRE TO CURRY FAVOR WITH

PRESIDENT AUGUSTOPINO CHETSY APPEARING TO SUPPORT

FULLY THE LATTER'S POLICIES.

- THE HAJORITY OF, THE-GENERALS HAVE INFORMALLY MADE

 THEIR VIEWS KNOWN TOP IN OCHE TREGARDING THE ARBITRARY TACTICS

 OF DIMA AND THE STATE OF SIEGE. THE PRESIDENT. HOWEVER, HAS

 INSISTED THAT THERE HAVE BEEN PLOTS OF WHICH MOST OF THE.

 GENERALS ARE UNAWARE. AND THAT THE INTERNAL SECURITY THREAT

 IS STILL SERIOUS ENOUGHTO NECESSITATE CONTINUATION BOTH OF

 THE STATE OF SIEGEAND DIMA'S ACTIVITIES. THE GENERALS:

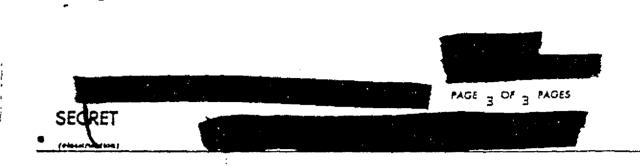
 BELIEVE, NONETHELESS, THAT THE REISASTRONG CHANCE THAT SOME

 EASING OF SECURITY RESTRICTIONS AND PRACTICES WILL BE

 ANNOUNCED ON 11 SEPTEMBER, THE OCCASION OF THE FOURTH

 ANNIVERSARY OF THE GOVERNMENT.
 - 3. DESPITE THEIR EXPRESSED DISPLEASURE WITH DINA'S
 ACTIVITIES.. NONE OF THE GENERALS HAVE YET ARGUED FOR CEFULLY

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WITHPINOCHER ON THE HATTER. RATHER, THEIR ATTITUDE

CONTINUES TO BE COUNTERSALANCED BY THE SENTIMENT THAT THE

UNITED STATES HAS BEEN UNFAIR IN FOCUSING ON CHILE AS THE

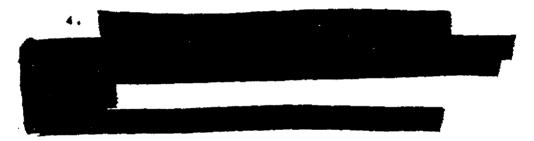
PRINCIPAL VIOLATOR OF HUMAN RIGHTS. AS A RESULT, THEIR

ATTITUDE CONTINUES TUSE TEMPERED BY THEIR UNHILLINGNESS TO

APPEAR CONSTANTLY TO BEGIVING IN TO U.S. PRESSURES ON THE

MATTER.

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